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***Articles***

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2. Hamilton, S.P., et al. (1995). Microglial-derived GM-CSF stimulates oligodendrocyte function in the central nervous system. *Blood* 86:25A XP009056228 37th Annual Meeting of the American Society of Haematology; Seattle, Washington, US, December 1-5, 1995.
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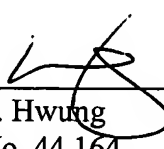
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